Rupprecht's London .- Prince waldhaus in the Argonne is to be kept as a national curiosity. It is brobably the mest elaborate dugout that was ever made. Dug into the hillside, concreted and camouflaged so elaborately that from a few yards off you still do not perceive it, it consists of four or five good sized rooms of which those nearest the hillside have iron shutters. The rooms are panelled and painted, and there is also a swimming bath of about ninety feet in length and sixty in width. Electric light is everywhere provided for and so is hot and cold water.

of the dugout conducts you down they not told in official reports are sixty feet and in perfect safety. The sage in no longer passable, as water has filled it up. During the war records of the awards of the Dispumps were kept going constantly tinguished Service Cross to memto keep it dry. Just outside, and for bers of the American Expeditionary less stormy periods, is a german biergarden with tables and chairs and forces. Following are a few of the flower beds. The Germans evident official reports that have been sely meant to stay a good deal longer lected by General Pershing's own for everything had the appearance of a very hurried departure.

#### GOVERNOR PROCLAIMS JEWISH RELIEF DAYS

Five days, beginning April 7 and ending April 11, are declared Jewish First Lieutenant, Company M, 60th War Reilef days in Kentucky by proclamation of Gov. A. O. Stanley: Three acts of conspicuous daring in During this period of a very in- one day near Cunel, France, October tensive campaign to raise funds for 12, 1918, won the Distinguished Servimmedate relief for destitute Jews ice Cross for Lieut. Woodfill. While in Europe and Asia will be carried he was leading his company against on throughout the state to raise Ken- the enemy his line came under heavy bringing it, with the wounded men, tucky's quota of the fund to be rais- machine gun fire, which threatened to ed in the nation-wide campaign.

is as follows: of the Central Powers have left in ing the two soldiers in front. When their wake indescribable scenes of he got within ten yards of the gun suffering and privation, torture, fam it ceased firing and four of the enemy in his death, near Limey, France, Sepine and death; our duty to the op-appeared, three of whom were shot tember 12, 1918. Lieut. Wickersham pressed and enslaved peoples of the by Lieut. Woodfill. The fourth, an was awarded the Distinguished Serv-Old World is only half finished when officer, rushed at Lieut. Woodfill, who | Ice Cross. Advancing with his platoon the invader is driven from the border attempted to club the officer with his during the St. Mihlel offensive, Lieut. of these suffering lands. It is a rifle. After a hand-to-hand struggle, Wickersham was severely wounded in pleasant and Christian duty to min- Lieut. Woodfill killed the officer with ster to the wants of those whom we his pistol. His company thereupon explosive shell. Before receiving any have made free.

not save the starving from death, or was encountered. Calling his men to the same time. He then ordered and the naked from the winds of winter, follow, Lieut. Woodfill rushed ahead or house the homeless.

there are untold millions of men, we the enemy appeared above the nest being disabled by wounds, he continmen and children of the Jewish race he shot them, capturing three other ued to fire his revolver with his left who are in the direct need of the sim- members of the crew and silencing the plest necessities of life, and unless gun. A few minutes later this officer, blood, he fell and died from his they find succor here, and find it with for the third time, demonstrated con- wounds before aid could be adminisout delay, these wan sufferers will spicuous daring by charging another tered. Lieut. Wickershan's home adsink forever under the burdens of machine gun position, killing five men dress was 3416 Colfax boulevard, Denwant and oppression, torture and out- in one machine gun pit with his rifle. ver, Colo. rage, which no tongue can tell or He then drew his revolver and started

pen portray. "To the aid of these victims of brutality the Kentucky Division of their gun on him. Falling to kill them the American Jewish Relief commit- with his revolver, he grabbed a pick tee has determined to carry a cam- lying near by and killed both of them. for the raising of funds.

mation setting aside April 7 to 11 severe shell and machine gun fire. 1919, as Jewish War Relief days in Lieut. Woodfill is married and lives the State of Kentucky.

"In testimony whereof I have Ky. caused these letters to be made patent, and the seal of the commonwealth to hereunto affixed. Done at Frankfort, the 24th day of March, in the year of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, and in the one hundred and twenty-seventh the Boise de Forges, France, Septemyear of the commonwealth.'

### New Publications.

ended March 15, 1919:

partment Bulletin 753.

Fattening Steers in the South. De- encounter Capt, Mallon personally atpartment Bulletin 762.

partment Bulletin 785.

mers' Bulletin 1003.

be obtained on application to the Di- gun. Capt. Mallon's home access is vision of Publications, United States 1981 Hallock street, Kansas City, Mo. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.

### Monk's Cowl.

The cowl, or hood, was originally a covering for the head to protect it from the inclemency of the weather, and was worn by all classes without distinction. Its ready adaptation to conceal the features led to its adoption at a very early age by menks and ascetics. As these multiplied and formed themselves into various distinet orders, their hoods assumed a different fashion in cat, color and material. From the monks it passed to the cathedral and collegiate churches, and from them to the universities.

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America's Immortals

Most striking instances of gallantry for which the Distinguished Service Cross has been awarded

Stories of personal bravery that A passage leading from the front would be almost unbelievable were disclosed by the war department's staff as presenting most striking instances of gallantry on the part of American soldiers under fire:

#### SAMUEL WOODFILL, Infantry.

hold up the advance. Followed by The governor's proclamation in full two soldiers at twenty-five yards, this officer went out ahead of his first line "To the People of Kentucky, Greet toward a machine gun nest and Whereas, the receding armies worked his way around its flank, leavto tump into the pit when two other gunners only a few yards away turned Inspired by the exceptional courage at 167 Alexandria Pike, Fort Thomas,

#### -10-GEORGE H. MALLON, Captain, 132nd Infantry.

Capt. Mallon was decorated for intrepidity beyond the call of duty in ber 26, 1918. Becoming separated from the balance of his company because of a fog, Capt. Mallon, with nine soldiers, pushed forward and attacked The following publication were is- nine hostile machine guns, capturing sued by the United States Depart- all of them without the loss of a man. ment of Agriculture during the week Continuing on through the woods, he led his men in attacking a battery of The Use of Wood for Fuel. De- 450 mm. howitzers which were in action, rushing the position and captur-A Comparison of Roughages for ing the battery and its crew. In this tacked one of the enemy with his fists. Motor Transportation for Rural Later when the party came upon two Districts. Department Bulletin 770, more machine guns, this officer sent The Field Testing of Copper Spray men to the flanks, while he rushed Coatings. (Professional paper.) De- forward directly in the face of the fire and silenced the guns, being the Muscadine Grapes. Farmers' Bul- first one of the party to reach the nest. The exceptional gallantry and How to Control Billbugs Destruc- determination displayed by Capt, Maltive to Cereal and Forage Crops. Far- lon resulted in the capture of 100 prisoners, eleven machine guns, four 450 Copies of these publications may mm. howitzers and one a ti-aircraft

#### -14-WILLIAM R. PECK,

Sergeant, Company C, 354th Infantry. Sergt. Peck (deceased) received the Distinguished Service Cross for conspicuous gallantry in action near Remonville November 1, 1918. He was advancing with his company across an open field when enemy guns opened fire on them from two sides. The attention of the platoon commander was directed to the gun on his direct front, while the enemy on the right was leveling his gun upon him. Seeing the predicament of his commander, Sergt. Peck threw himself against the officer, pushing him into a shell hole, but exposing himself to the fire, which instantly killed him. His home was in Washburn, Wis.

#### HAROLD W. ROBERTS, Corporal, Company A, 344th Battalion,

Tank Corps. For deliberately going to his death to save a companion in the Montre beau woods, France, October 4, 1918 Corp. Roberts was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross. Corp. Rob erts, a tank driver, was moving his Gray Young, a returned soldier tank into a clump of bushes to afburg, Ky., three weeks at had been disabled. The tank slid late Wis-

shell hole, ten fest deep, filled with water, and was hunedlately sub merged. Knowing that only one of the two men in the tent could escape. Corp. Roberts said to the gunner, "Well, only one of us can get out, and out you go," whereupon he pushed his companion through the back door of the rank and was himself drowned. Corp. Roberts' home address was 5 Market street, San Francisco, Cal.

### ALAN LOUIS EGGERS.

Sergeant, M. G. Co., 107th Infantiv. Unusual bravery displayed in aiding comrades in distress near Catelor, crance, September 20, 1918, won the Distinguished Service Cross for Sergt. Eggers. Becoming separated from their platoons by a smoke harrage, Sergt, Eggers, Sergt, John G. Lathaur and Corporal Thomas E. O'Shea took cover in a shell hole well within the enemy's lines. Upon hearing a call for help from an American tank, which had become disabled, thirty yards from them, the three soldiers left their shelter and started toward the tank, under heavy fire from German machine guns and trench mortars. In crossing the fire-swept area, Corp. O'Shen was mortally wounded but his companions, undeterred, proceeded to the tank, rese cued a wounded officer, and assisted two soldiers to cover in the sap of a nearby trench. Sergt. Eggers and Sergt. Latham then returned to the tank in the face of the violent fire, dismounted a Hotchkiss gun and took it back to where the wounded men were, keeping off the enemy all day by the effective use of the gun, and later back to our lines under cover of darkness. Sergt. Eggers' home is at 152 Summit avenue, Summit, N. J.

## 11 14 Million

J. HUNTER WICKERSHAM, Second Lieutenant, 353rd Infantry. For conspicuous gallantry, resulting four places by the bursting of a high continued to advance until shortly aid for himself, he dressed the wounds "The boon of freedom itself can- afterward another machine gun nest of his orderly, who was wounded at accompanied the further advance of of his line in the face of heavy fire his platoon, although weakened by the "Today upon the eastern front from the nest, and when several of loss of blood. His right hand and arm hand until, exhausted by the loss of

### MARCELLUS H. CHILES,

Captain, 356th Infantry. Capt. Chiles was decorated for conspicuous bravery in action, which renear Le Champ sulted in his "Therefore, I, A. O. Stanley, gov- displayed by this officer, his men Bas, France, November 3, 1918. When ernor of Kentucky, issue this procla- pressed on to their objective under his battalion, of which he had just taken command, was halted by ma chine gun fire from the front and left flank, Capt. Chiles picked up the rifle of a dead soldier and, calling on his men to follow, led the advance across a stream waist deep, in the face of the machine gun fire. Upon reaching the opposite bank, this gallant officer was seriously wounded in the abdomen by a sniper, but before permitting himself to be evacuated he made complete arrangements for turning over his command to the next senior officer, and under the inspiration of his fearless leadership his battalion reached its objective. Capt. Chiles died shortly after reaching the hospital. His home was at 2815 West Thirty-seventh street, Denver, Oclo.

### ROY W. REEVES,

Corporal, 96th Company, Sixth Marines, Corp. Reeves, whose home is with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Reeves, 3769 Chamour avenue, East San Diego, Cal., was decorated for an act of conspicuous intrepidity in action with the ene- has made him the man to be counted my near Blanc Mont, France, October on every time and all the time, 3, 1918. During a stiffly contested hand grenade fight Corp. Reeves saw a grenade fall in the midst of five of his comrades. Without hesitation he rushed forward and picked it up, hurling it from the trench. The grenade hundreds of men, the safety of his ship exploded a few yards from his hand, depended on him. wounding him severely, but his act averted injury to all of his comrades, en ordinary working days-he remain-

#### EARL J. CHEEVERS, Sergeant, Headquarters Co., 132nd

Infantry. Sergeant Cheevers received the Dis tinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action near Bois de Forges, France, September 26, 1918. While engaged in maintaining a line of a gentleman to repeat anything when communication, Sergeant Cheevers saw he speaks to them. So when a busy four of the enemy enter a dugout dur clerk said, "Boy, sign light," mesning ing an attack. Armed with only a pis to turn on the lights in the front of tol, he followed. Upon reaching the the building, the boy rushed to the dugout he ordered the men to come counter, picked up a tray with a card out. When they refused, he entered on it and went through the lobby and and routed out and captured twelve dining room crying: prisoners.

## RAY C. DICKOP,

First Lieutenant, 127th Infantry. Lieut, Dickop (deceased) was dece rated for extraordinary heroism in action in the attack on Fismes, France in August of 1918. On reaching Che galles farm, he was shot in the head body and legs. Although fatally wounded, when orders came for an other assault he gave the command "charge" to his company and led the assault until he fell dead. Miss Leng Schiller, his aunt, lives at West Bend AT REST BENEATH FLOWERS

Beautiful Conception of "Garden of the Brave" Above the Heroic Dead in France.

That way a beautiful sed moving conception of Sir John Fraser's spoken at the Pilgrims' luncheon that the burial lands of the war in France should be made gardens of flowers. In his elequent words:

"I would like to see-and I do see sometimes in my vision-the flowers of America growing over where He so mony of your gallant sons.

"I know there will be mighty stretches of Beur-de-lis marking the sleeping, place of 1,500,000 brave Frenchmen. I would like to see the blooms of Belgium nodding over the graves where brave Belgians steep, and I know that out there I would like to see a mighty avenue of maple trees, all glorious with their crimson and with their gold, telling the place where the Canadians rest. and there will be mighty masses of the wonderful Australian wattle showing where the Austrailans are sleeping; yes, and I know that out there, tool will be great sheaves of green, the shamrock coverlet for the brave Irish; and there will be roses everywhere, the white, rose and red rose, the roses of Old England, of Lancaster and of York, telling where 500,000 brave Englishmen He.

"Perhaps out in that Garden of the Brave I would come across stretches of heather, benutiful gold-purple heather. would know there were Scotsmen buried there. There would be playing -I would bear the sound of the pipes, for the pipes always play where dead Scotch soldiers lie; that is the vision that comes to me."

There would be many American symbols to join the pageant-goldenrod, \* California poppies, the wild rose, among the rest. Certainly no more glorious and fitting memorial could be imagined than such fields of mingled beauty.-New York Tribune.

#### Regular Hours Now.

"Judge, he hasn't worked for about six months," testified an elderly woman in an Indianapolis court recently. She was testifying against her son, age seventeen, who had been arrested on a charge of vagrancy.

"How does he spend his leisure time?" asked the prosecutor.

"Sleeping," was the reply. When the boy took the stand he denied that he had been out of employment for six months and said his mother had erred as to the length of time, as the last work he did was "about four and one-half months ago."

"How many hours a day do you sleep?" asked Judge Pritchard, to which the defendant replied that he didn't sleep all the time, but just when

he felt like it. "Ever been in jail?" said the judge.

"No." "Well, they have regular hours over there and I believe regular hours plus a few days' work on the roads will do you good. I will fine you \$15 and costs, and you can pay it out in Jall." | \*\*\*\*

At a recent county institute in Indiana one of the teachers made an announcement. At the close she said: "If any one has any objections to this plan of mine let him do as the Bible says: 'Either speak now or hold his peace forever.'"

A little teacher, whose years in the schoolroom numbered 31, smilel slightly as she turned to the person next her. "That isn't in the Bible, is it?" she asked, and then finished: "It does sound familiar but not exactly as if it came from that book."

This person laughed. "Why, that's from the wedding ceremony," she re-

The little teacher was quick to retort: "No wonder none of us here recognized it then," she laughed.

#### Signaled for Fifty-Six Hours, It is the eternal vigilance of the sail-

or of our ships, his unflagging faithfulness to duty, his steadfastness to his detail, his bound-to-win spirit that

There was a young man serving as a signal man on a ship that had gone aground. With his waving flags he was talking the silent language of the ships, calling for help. The lives of

For 56 hours of unbroken duty-seved at his post, scanning the sea and it in the hope of finding suitable soli with unerring skill handling his signals.

And he was a country boy-from Oklahoma.-Great Lakes Bulletin.

Couldn't Find Him. Japanese bellboys at a Seatt'e hotel are polite. In fact too polite to ask

"Mr. Signlight, Mr. Signlight, Call for Mr. Signlight." He reported that "Mr. Signlight" could not be found.

Could Do No More.

Private Isaac Mycroft of the Lelcestershire regiment, who has recently been reported killed, was wounded six times and gassed once. This is all that is known of Private Mycroft's record in the army, but it is enough, Six times wounded and six times patched up and sent back into the firing line, and at last to die, still fighting-surely no man would do more!-London Times.

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Quinoa Substitute for Wheat. There has long been cultivated on

the west coast of South America a plant called "quinoa," which botanists and ceral experts believe may prove an excellent substitute for wheat, in fact preferable to the substitutes now in use, says the November Popular Mechanics Magazine. This plant, now attracting particular attention because of the shortage of foodstuffs, has been cultivated in South America in more or less primitive fashion, since pre-Inca days. The department of agriculture has imported several lots of quinoa seed and seed of related species, and is making experiments with and climate in this country for its cul-

Loncoome.

Two or three cowboys from a ranch, in the western part of the United States were sent to a camp near my home. Shortly after their arrival one. of them was on guard duty until about 1 a. m., at which time he returned to the barracks, where he found everyone pencefully sleeping. He let out a cowboy yell. "Fip. yip. yip. yi, yi, yi, yi, yi, yas, hoo!" The rest of the men. waking up in alarm, asked what was the matter, and he replied, "I want you all to wake up and go to sleep with me,"-Chicago Tribune; "

A Real Conservationist. Bobbs-Talk about conservation; why I cut my coal bill down a half Their motto Quich

Nobbs-You talk in miracles, old chap. What's yer system? Hobbs-Had my wife quit reading these stories that made her shiver.

Gain has oft with treacherous hopes led men to ruin.-Sophicles.

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